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Group Art Unit: 3628

Examiner: Clement Graham

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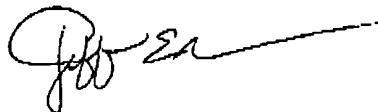
Dear Mr. Graham:

I received your voice mail message asking about the status of 09/688,982. The status is:

- 1) we are waiting for a response to the amendment/reply for this application that was received at the patent office on March 5, 2004; and
- 2) we have ordered the certified records that will tell us if documents are officially missing from the records for this (and other) application(s) - my recollection is that the unofficial records we have received showed documents were missing from the unofficial records for this application.

I passed along information we received in the last week or so regarding this application to an attorney who will probably be handling the balance of the prosecution for 09/688,982. I will be out of town on business and/or on vacation until March 1st. Thank you for your call.

Respectfully submitted,



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February 21, 2005